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Transmitted herewith for filing is the patent application of:

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For: MIXED LOSSLESS AUDIO COMPRESSION

Enclosed are:

27 pages of specification, 3 pages of claims, an abstract and a Combined Declaration and Power of Attorney.

 $\underline{\underline{N}}$  12 sheet(s) of drawings.

An assignment of the invention to: <u>Microsoft Corporation</u>, a Recordation Cover Sheet, and the Recordal fee of \$40.00.

FILING FEE						
	Claims	Number		Number		Basic Fee
For	Filed	Free		Extra	Rate	\$750.00
Total Claims	14	20	=	0	\$18.00	\$ 0.00
Independent Claims	5	3	=	2	\$84.00	\$186.00
Multiple Dependent Claim Fee				\$280.00		
TOTAL FILING FEE						\$936.00

- Applicants claim the benefit of the earlier filing date of U.S. Provisional Application No. 60/408,432 filed on September 4, 2002. The entire disclosure of provisional application No. 60/408,432 is considered to be part of the disclosure of the accompanying application and is incorporated herein by reference.
- Assignee for this application is or will be <u>Microsoft Corporation</u>, and applicants request that this information be listed on the published application.
- A check in the amount of \$976.00 to cover \( \subseteq \) filing fee and \( \subseteq \) assignment recordal fee is enclosed.

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- The Director is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees that may be required in connection with the filing of this application and recording any assignment filed herewith, or credit over-payment, to Account No. 02-4550. A copy of this sheet is enclosed.
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